

Clean Set of Claims

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50. An apparatus of providing access to a channel of an Internet Relay Chat group to a mobile device, comprising:

means for placing a mobile chat proxy server in a direct communication path between a standard Internet Relay Chat server and a wireless gateway server supporting said mobile device;

wherein said mobile chat proxy server forwards chat commands from said mobile device to said standard Internet Relay Chat server and said channel of said Internet Relay Chat group is ghosted.

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